IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF MISSOURI EASTERN DIVISION

MALEEHA AHMAD, et al.,)	
Plaintiffs,)	
v.)	No. 4:17-cv-2455 CDF
CITY OF ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI,)	
Defendant.)	

Joint Motion for Protective Order

The parties jointly request this Court enter their proposed protective order. In support, they state:

- 1. By interrogatory served December 19, 2018, Plaintiffs requested the residential address of a police officer.
- 2. Plaintiffs seek the residential address because they wish to depose the police officer, but Defendant is unable to produce him for a deposition. Plaintiffs anticipate also that they may need to subpoen the police officer to testify at trial.
- 3. Because the police officer is not believed to be currently working and Plaintiffs know of no other place where he might be found, Plaintiffs are unable to serve a deposition subpoena without knowing his residential address.
- 4. Defendant notes that the police officer has served as an undercover officer and expresses concern that public disclosure of his residence address will create a substantial risk to his privacy and security.
- 5. The parties agree that their conflicting interests would be resolved by entry of a protective order requiring that Plaintiffs keep the address of the police officer

- confidential and limiting disclosure of his address as necessary to secure service of a deposition or trial subpoena.
- 6. The parties submit a proposed protective order, a copy of which is attached hereto and was sent to MOED_Proposed_Orders@moed.uscourts.gov.

WHEREFORE the parties jointly request this Court enter a protective order.

Respectfully submitted,

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